UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

<u>United States of America</u>, Government

V.

Criminal No. 08-cr-75-1-SM

<u>Jacob D. Silva</u>, Defendant

ORDER

As part of the presentence investigation and reporting process, the probation officer has informed the court of the identities of the victims involved in this case. Because I know some of the victims, and have known some of the victims' parents for many years, I hereby recuse myself from imposing sentence and from any further proceedings in this case.

The clerk will reassign the case to another judge in the usual manner.

SO ORDERED.

Xteven J! McAuliffe

(Chief Judge

June 10, 2009

cc: Helen W. Fitzgibbon, Esq., AUSA Peter J. Anderson, Esq. U.S. Probation

U.S. Marshal